

One-Column Newspaper.
"God's Will" Is Hungry.
The Passing Dinner Pail.
Harem Girls and Canaries.

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Elmy Root will make the fight to expel from New York's Legislature five men elected on the Socialist ticket.

What a tactful choice was made when Mr. Root was sent to represent this country before the Socialist government of Russia. The remarkable success of that remarkable expedition is explained.

What really became of the few hundred million dollars that the people of the United States had to pay for that piece of foolishness? Who got the money? Did any of it go much farther than the corner of Broad and Wall streets?

Antwerp's newspapers, bothered by a strike, combine to issue one printed column. How would you edit that combination newspaper if your job was to put in one column everything worth knowing in the news of twenty-four hours?

If you edited the column to American taste you would have a big piece of news at the top about Rockefeller, Dempsey, a fire or a rumor. Next you would have jokes, then sport news, then tabloid fiction, then a woman's fashion, then the editorial, which you would cut out to make room for another joke.

Welcome to "Dunlop America, Ltd." It's the original English tire, a concern about to spend twenty-five millions on a gigantic plant at Buffalo. Any concern is welcome when it comes here to spend its money, employing American labor. The Englishmen of "Dunlop" will find plenty of competition here, for American making of automobile tires is perfected far in advance of anything abroad.

The thing lacking is more economical distribution. The manufacturer gets too little of the amount paid by the consumer, the middleman too much. It is preposterous that the owner of an automobile should pay fifteen or twenty dollars for the individual who simply rolls a tire out of a store.

"God's Will" would like to be adopted. She is a baby, one week old, healthy and hungry, left by her mother on a doorstep, with a bottle of milk, a can of food, two blankets and this message: "My husband is dead. He was a soldier. I worked up to two days before this baby was born. I have two other small children and am paying eight dollars a week to board them while I work. I can't feed this one and hope somebody else will. I must go right back to work for the other two. This is a good baby, no diseases in our family. We date back to the Quakers."

That's interesting in the richest country in the world. What happened to little "God's Will" never happens to Little Pigs, which are good to eat.

Another interesting case is that of a young woman who offers for adoption a child not yet born, because she can't take care of it. It is an opportunity for some philanthropist to deal "in futures." Amaze was expressed officially that the mother of "God's Will" had not sent her baby to the Charities Department. The trouble there, as expressed to this writer yesterday by a first class child's specialist, is "When you send a baby to the infant asylum it dies." Mothers want their children to live, even when not able to take care of them.

Civilization in its grand, glorious march has walked past the dinner pail with its cold coffee, cold cabbage, cold corned beef, once supposed to be the highest ambition of the proud American workman.

The Homestead Iron Mills now supply a hot lunch to eleven thousand men; the Western Electric Company feeds twelve hundred, and will feed three thousand more.

The next statesman that tries to find his way to the women's vote via the workmen's stomach will need originality.

It used to be "THE FULL DINNER PAIL." It may be "THE FULL SAFE DEPOSIT VAULT."

By order of Government, young Armenian girls are turned out of Turkish harems. Many are mere children, with babies in their arms. The Y. W. C. A. ladies across the water say it is hard work putting these young mothers on a self-supporting basis, as they don't know how to take care of the baby and don't know how to earn a living.

A canary turned out of its cage and invited to hustle among the sparrows on the snowy street would have a better chance than one of these harem girls. The highly moral, harem-purifying government should carry part of the responsibility. A helpless girl, even in our pure civilization, may land in something worse than a harem.

On February 6, 1905, the Kaiser wrote to "Dearest Nicky," the Czar of Russia: "You have been through serious trouble from the effervescence and agitation among the lower classes."

WEATHER:
Cloudy tonight and tomorrow; probably snow tonight about 24 degrees. Temperature at 5 a. m. 21 degrees.

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Senate Democrats Deadlock Over Selection of Minority Leader to Succeed Martin

JAPANESE AND U. S. TROOPS REPORTED IN CLASH

"Big Three" Premiers Take Up Question of Extraditing Former Kaiser For Trial

GERMANY MAY TRY EX-KAISER

Great Britain Fears Extradition of War-Guilty May Precipitate New Revolution.

CITE RIOTS AS REASON
Action Will Await Settlement of Internal Strife in Teuton Republic.

PARIS, Jan. 15.—The big three this afternoon, meeting in secret session, discussed extradition of the former Kaiser, it was learned authoritatively.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—Owing to disturbed conditions in Germany brought about by the rioting and strikes, the allies are seriously considering withholding of presentation of lists of German war guilty, whose surrender for trial by allied tribunals will be demanded, it was learned from authoritative sources.

May Cause Outbreaks.
Demand for the German war guilty at this time, it was said, might precipitate further outbreaks, increasing the danger to the present German government, which the allies are anxious to have remain in control.

Premiers Lloyd George and Clemenceau, it was emphasized, will not give up their plan for ultimate surrender of the German war guilty, but will not insist upon fulfillment of this clause of the peace treaty until internal conditions in Germany become calmer.

Government leaders today were understood to be reviewing the German situation, with the view to demanding surrender of the German war guilty as soon as internal conditions in the Teuton republic will warrant.

Keeping Up With The Times
A FACT A DAY

Here is what some of the big concerns of the country think of the 1920 business outlook as expressed in advertising figures:

Coca-Cola Co.—"This year we will invest in excess of \$1,200,000 for advertising."

Paige-Detroit Motor Car Co.—"Our 1919 advertising appropriation was increased about 75 per cent over the 1918 season and we expect that we shall still further increase this 50 per cent for the season of 1920."

Atlas Portland Cement Co.—"For 1920 we appropriated approximately double our normal expenditure."

Bosch Magneto Corp.—"Our advertising appropriation for 1919 was approximately four times that of 1918. We shall invest a little more money in 1920 than in 1919."

Hoke Smith's Refusal To Ballot Gives Underwood And Hitchcock Tie Vote

Senate Democrats today deadlocked over the choice of a floor leader to succeed the late Senator Martin. With the vote between Senators Hitchcock and Underwood a tie, the Democratic caucus broke up shortly after noon with no date set for another attempt to elect a leader. The caucus adjourned subject to call by Hitchcock and Underwood, who in the meantime will try to break the deadlock.

Hoke Smith Would Not Vote.
Refusal of Hoke Smith of Georgia to vote for either candidate caused the deadlock.

There were forty-three Senators present. With Smith refusing to vote, the Hitchcock and Underwood factions each had 19 votes. Senators Swanson, Johnson, of South Dakota, and Smith of Arizona were absent.

The caucus at first voted to permit Senator Glass, the new Senator from Virginia, to vote, but later this action was reversed.

Had Glass been permitted to vote, Underwood would have won by one vote. Glass has not yet taken his seat in the Senate, although his credentials have been presented.

The Underwood forces cited precedents for letting Glass vote, but in the end caucus refused to allow this.

The caucus lasted two hours, and from the first developed into a bitter fight, with Glass and his vote the storm center.

Senator Underwood issued the following statement: "The result of this vote does not in any way interfere with Senator Hitchcock's control and leadership in the treaty fight. He has had and will continue to have my loyal support."

For Underwood—Bankhead, Dial, Fletcher, Gay, Gerry, Gore, Harris, Harrison, Jones (New Mexico), McKellar, Pittman, Ransdell, Reed, Shields, Smith (Maryland), Smith (South Carolina), Williams—19.
For Hitchcock—Ashurst, Chamberlain, Culberson, Henderson, Kendrick, King, Kirby, Myers, Nugent, Overman, Phelan, Pomeroy, Robinson, Shepard, Simmons, Thomas, Tamm, Walsh (Montana), Walcott—18.

Present and not voting—Smith (Georgia).
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CORK MAYOR IS BEATEN UP

Irish Executive Attacked By Party of Men During Elections, London Report.

SINN FEIN LEADS AT POLLS
Republican Candidates Carry Dublin and Three Other Large Cities.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—The Lord Mayor of Cork was attacked and beaten during the election today, said a Central News dispatch from Cork this afternoon.

A party of men were involved in the assault. All escaped.

The Lord Mayor had attacked the Sinn Fein election methods, it is said.

SINN FEIN WINS IN DUBLIN AND THREE LARGE CITIES

DUBLIN, Jan. 15.—With the Sinn Fein leaders officially predicting victory, the first local elections since the war are being held throughout Ireland today.

Early in the afternoon the Sinn Feiners claimed to have swept this city, Cork, Limerick, and Waterford. The voting was heavy.

The returns will not be officially announced for a week.

Eamon De Valera, president of the republic of Ireland, who is in the United States on a propaganda tour, sent an appeal from Washington, D. C., to the Sinn Feiners to roll up a big vote. It came through Arthur Griffith, vice president of Sinn Fein.

The British military authorities have placed strong guards at the polls, especially in districts where the Sinn Feiners have been most active lately.

Interest in the municipal elections is not only at fever heat throughout the length and breadth of Ireland, but throughout all the British Isles. The result will be regarded as a barometer of Sinn Fein strength. The labor party is expected to play an important role.

Newspapers in commenting upon the situation have admitted the strength of the republican party and point out that republican sympathies have undoubtedly been spreading through the ranks of the royal Irish constabulary.

BRITAIN MAY SEND CRACK FIGHTING TROOPS TO ERIN

LONDON, Jan. 15.—The Coldstream Guards, the crack fighting unit of the British army, may be transferred to Ireland, according to a report printed by the Evening News this afternoon.

The Evening News declared that this action would prove Ireland to be the most critical spot in the British Empire, not excepting India.

HUNGARIANS HANDED PEACE TREATY TODAY

Delegation Will Discuss Claims Before the Supreme Council Tomorrow.

PARIS, Jan. 15.—The Hungarian peace treaty was handed to the enemy delegates at 4:10 p. m. today.

Accusers Seek Estate, Says Doctor Arrested As "Mustard Slayer"



MARKESAN, Wis., Jan. 15.—Dr. John A. Freudenberg, at liberty under \$30,000 bail, charged with slaying his wealthy mother-in-law by an injection of mustard, broke his silence today. He declared his arrest was due to disappointed relatives who had hoped to inherit Mrs. Nettie Duffies' estate. The doctor blames particularly William E. Perry, brother of the dead woman, who signed the complaint against him.

Berlin Rioting Renewed; Red Leaders Call Strike

BERLIN, Jan. 15.—Spartacist leaders have adopted a resolution calling a general strike in Germany in retaliation for the declaration of martial law and the appointment of Minister of Defense Noske as dictator.

Rioting Is Renewed.
The Red Cross today placed the number of deaths on Tuesday in the battle around the Reichstag building at sixty-seven. One hundred and five were wounded.

Noske has taken drastic precautions to avert further disorders by massing troops throughout the city and suburbs, fears are expressed that a general strike, if successful, may lead to revolution.

Although Noske has announced suppression of the communist and Independent Socialist newspapers.

The soldiers are strongly supported by machine guns and light artillery in preparation for possible anti-government demonstrations today—the anniversary of the killing of "Red Rosa" Luxemburg and Karl Liebknecht, two of the main Spartacist leaders.

The Spartacists and Independent Socialists are enraged over the killing of so many of their numbers in the effort to storm the Reichstag building, and more disturbances are expected.

Deep-Seated Unrest.
The government is being blamed for allowing the demonstrations to start in the first place, especially at a time when there is such deep-seated labor unrest and general dissatisfaction over living conditions.

Government officials claim to have the situation well in hand, and Noske believes he can keep the government intact, no matter how violent the agitations of the Spartacists and Independent Socialists may become.

All of the government buildings are under guard. The streets about the foreign office fairly bristle with machine guns.

Premier Defends Policy.
Police fired upon the mob which attacked the Reichstag building on Tuesday only when it was "impossible to check" the infuriated people in any other way, Premier Bauer told the Reichstag today.

The police acted "quite rightly," but

U. S. VESSELS CHECK NIPPON

Bolshevik Communique Reports American Fleet Aided Revolutionaryaries.

RUSS REDS CLAIM VICTORIES
State Department Lacks News of Yanks Seizing Armored Train.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—A dispatch from Harbin today made obscure reference to a reported clash between Japanese and American troops in Siberia.

A Bolshevik wireless communique from Moscow, referring to the situation in Siberia, said a movement had been organized by the Social Revolutionaries, in conjunction with the Czechs.

Say U. S. Fleet Assisted.
The movement, according to the Bolshevik communique, was "assisted by an American fleet, which left the Philippine Islands for Vladivostok, to prevent the Japanese landing fresh troops to assist General Schenck."

The Bolshevik statement apparently refers to a reported effort to establish an independent Siberian republic between Obi and Vladivostok.

Another Bolshevik communique referred to the recent "victories" in the trans-Caspian region as of great importance, pointing out they strengthened the soviet influence in Turkestan.

Capture of the important town of Krasnovodsk, the starting point of the trans-Caspian railway on the shores of the Caspian Sea, assures the gain of "British imperialism" in central Asia, the Bolsheviks claimed.

Close Chinese Frontiers.
One immediate effect of the revolutionary movement in Persia, and Bolshevik victories in Siberia and Turkestan, has been the closing of Chinese frontiers against the reds, the communique added.

Chinese revolutionary detachments, however, are co-operating with the soviet armies, it claimed, adding that a majority of the Cossacks, in the Amur region, and the Burjats and Kirghizes in the trans-Baikal country, had revolted against Semenov, killing his representatives.

The State Department today had received no information of the reported capture by American soldiers of an armored train from General Semenov or of a clash between Japanese and American troops in Siberia.

BLOOD GIVERS BOOST PRICE TO \$55 AN OUNCE

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Professional blood donors at the Flower Hospital struck for \$55 an ounce. The strike broken when nurses gave their blood free.

DIES AT AGE OF 100.

ROME, Ga., Jan. 15.—After sixty-five years as a school teacher at Cedar-town, Mrs. A. E. Marble, grandmother of Mayor H. M. Hall, of that place, died at the age of 100 years and seven months.

MEXICANS RELEASE TWO U. S. GOBS FROM JAIL

Harry V. Leonard and Harry O. Martin, American sailors of the U. S. S. Pocumoke, who have been held in jail by Mexican authorities at Mazatlan for alleged assault upon a Mexican, were released on Tuesday night, the State Department announced today.

SOCIALISTS OUSTED FOR RECORD IN WAR

Speaker of N. Y. Assembly Tries to Defend Suspension of Five Members.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 15.—The action of the Socialist members of the New York Assembly last year, and in 1918, on legislation designed to aid the Federal Government in the successful prosecution of war, together with information given Speaker Thaddeus Sweet by Federal intelligence officers, led to the action of the assembly in suspending five Socialists from membership, Sweet declared today.

The speaker issued a statement declaring there is precedent for the action of the House in refusing the admission of members to its assembly, pending determination of their trial before the assembly judiciary committee, which begins next Tuesday.

"SOVIET ARK" TO LAND RED CARGO TOMORROW

The army transport Buford, carrying 249 reds back to Russia, is expected to reach its destination tomorrow, according to a radio from the vessel received today by Brigadier General Hines, chief of army transport service.

TRIPLE ALLIANCE IS APPROVED AT PARIS

LONDON, Jan. 15.—Plans drawn for an economic and military alliance between Great Britain, France and Italy have been approved by the Premiers, new in session at Paris, according to a Paris dispatch to the Westminster Gazette today.

POSTPONED QUIZ ON NEWBERRY ELECTION

Inability to obtain a quorum because of the Democratic caucus caused the postponement of the meeting of the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections today. The committee was to adopt a plan of action in the election case of Senator Newberry, Republican, of Michigan.

1920 Model Automobiles

As Exhibited at the New York Auto Show.

See them in the Automotive Section of next Saturday's TIMES. Next thing to a trip to the show itself.

These photographic reproductions will be published in this newspaper by special arrangement with Motor Life.

REAL "DROUTH" STARTS AT MIDNIGHT TOMORROW

The real "wake" of decrepit John Barleycorn, the absolutely final farewell appearance—comes, as you probably know, at midnight tomorrow.

At that hour a few pregnant words annexed to the Federal Constitution become something more than pure reading matter.

The eighteenth amendment becomes law, and in these ticklish days, when every 100 per cent American is supposed to be panting hotly for "law and order," and to permit the heretic to assail its "majesty" only over his dead body, considerable bother is made about it.

Be Like Spartan Law.
The Eighteenth amendment is going to be enforced like Spartan law, that the commandment that the United States must be made "dry" is going to be taken literally, and that, in a word, the country is going to be "dry" in the full meaning of the word until the crack of doom.

However, the shock troops who will hold the embattled "rum hounds" at